

Wisconsin Restaurant Association

Total Lobbying Effort

Total Lobbying Expenditures

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
\$100,657.03	\$79,439.31	\$107,069.22	\$120,337.79	\$407,503.35

Total Hours Communicating

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
180.25	131.50	152.75	132.00	596.50

Total Hours Other

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
591.25	468.50	637.00	665.75	2362.50

Hours Lobbied on Each Matter

Lobbying Effort On Legislative Bills And Resolutions

Senate Bill 1

Relating to: a state minimum wage, permitting the enactment of local living wage ordinances, and granting rule-making authority.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
62.00 (8%)	60.00 (10%)	95.00 (12%)		217.00 (7%)

Assembly Bill 8

Relating to: municipal quotas for retail intoxicating liquor licenses.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	24.00 (4%)			24.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 20

Relating to: authorizing the circuit court to order a person who engages in discrimination in employment to pay compensatory and punitive damages and a surcharge and making an appropriation.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
62.00 (8%)				62.00 (2%)

Assembly Bill 75

Relating to: state finances and appropriations, constituting the executive budget act of the 2009 legislature.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
293.00 (38%)				293.00 (10%)

Senate Bill 105

Relating to: payment card network fees for merchants and providing a penalty.

2009	2009	2010	2010	Total
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January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	Total
8.00 (1%)	18.00 (3%)			26.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 109

Relating to: commencement of the school term in public schools.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
31.00 (4%)		16.00 (2%)		47.00 (2%)

Assembly Bill 170

Relating to: regulating the provision of certain bags to customers of retailers and granting rule-making authority.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
15.00 (2%)				15.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 145

Relating to: determining the value of billboards for personal property tax purposes.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		32.00 (4%)		32.00 (1%)

Senate Bill 203

Relating to: claims for loss of society and companionship in medical malpractice cases.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	18.00 (3%)	16.00 (2%)		34.00 (1%)

Senate Bill 209

Relating to: increasing the tax on fermented malt beverages to fund law enforcement grants and alcohol and drug abuse treatment and prevention programs, granting rule-making authority, and making appropriations.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
15.00 (2%)				15.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 283

Relating to: operating a vehicle while intoxicated, granting rule-making authority, making an appropriation, and providing a penalty.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	42.00 (7%)			42.00 (1%)

Assembly Bill 287

Relating to: increasing the tax on fermented malt beverages to fund law enforcement grants and alcohol and drug abuse treatment and prevention programs, granting rule-making authority, and making appropriations.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	18.00 (3%)			18.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 414

Relating to: requirements for a certificate of food protection practices and providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	36.00 (6%)	47.00 (6%)	64.00 (8%)	147.00 (5%)

Assembly Bill 487

Relating to: various changes in the unemployment insurance law and providing a penalty.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total

	30.00 (5%)			30.00 (1%)
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Senate Bill 366

Relating to: various changes in the unemployment insurance law and providing a penalty.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	18.00 (3%)	32.00 (4%)		50.00 (2%)

Senate Bill 450

Relating to: goals for reductions in greenhouse gas emissions, for construction of zero net energy buildings and for energy conservation; information, analyses, reports, education, and training concerning greenhouse gas emissions and climate change; energy efficiency and renewable resource programs; renewable energy requirements of electric utilities and retail cooperatives; requiring electric utilities to purchase renewable energy from certain renewable facilities in their service territories; authority of the Public Service Commission over nuclear power plants; motor vehicle emission limitations; a low carbon standard for transportation fuels; the brownfield site assessment grant program, the main street program, the brownfields grant program, the forward innovation fund, grants to local governments for planning activities, the transportation facilities economic assistance and development program, a model parking ordinance; surface transportation planning by the Department of Transportation and metropolitan planning organizations to reduce greenhouse gas emissions; environmental evaluations for transportation projects; idling limits for certain vehicles; energy conservation codes for public buildings, places of employment, one- and two-family dwellings, and agricultural facilities; design standards for state buildings; energy efficiency standards for certain consumer audio and video devices, boiler inspection requirements; greenhouse gas emissions and energy use by certain state agencies and state assistance to school districts in achieving energy efficiencies; creating an exception to local levy limits for amounts spent on energy efficiency measures; creating an energy crop reserve program; identification of private forest land, promoting sequestration of carbon in forests, qualifying practices and cost-share requirements under the forest grant program established by the Department of Natural Resources; air pollution permits for certain stationary sources reducing greenhouse gas emissions; allocating a portion of existing tax-exempt industrial development revenue bonding to clean energy manufacturing facilities and renewable power generating facilities; requiring a report on certain programs to limit greenhouse gas emissions; granting rule-making authority, requiring the exercise of rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		16.00 (2%)		16.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 664

Relating to: requiring certain chain restaurants to post or provide nutritional information, providing immunity for restaurants that provide inaccurate nutritional information, and providing a penalty.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		63.00 (8%)		63.00 (2%)

Assembly Bill 720

Relating to: repealing, consolidating, renumbering, amending, and revising various provisions of the statutes for the purpose of correcting errors, supplying omissions, correcting and clarifying references, eliminating defects, anachronisms, conflicts, ambiguities, and obsolete provisions, reconciling conflicts, and repelling unintended repeals (Correction Bill).

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		16.00 (2%)		16.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 763

Relating to: meals that a bed and breakfast establishment may serve.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		16.00 (2%)		16.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 815

Relating to: physical examinations and discovery of patients' records in civil actions.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		16.00 (2%)		16.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 884

Relating to: various changes in the unemployment insurance law and providing a penalty.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		63.00 (8%)		63.00 (2%)

Assembly Bill 885

Relating to: creation of a wage council to study and make recommendations concerning increases in the living wage, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		16.00 (2%)		16.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 894

Relating to: prohibiting abusive work environments and permitting a person who has been subject to such an environment to bring a civil action.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		24.00 (3%)	40.00 (5%)	64.00 (2%)

Lobbying Effort On Budget Bill Subjects**Health and Family Services: Health**

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
23.00 (3%)				23.00 (< 1%)

Tourism

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
15.00 (2%)		16.00 (2%)	128.00 (16%)	159.00 (5%)

Transportation: State Highway Program

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
			32.00 (4%)	32.00 (1%)

Lobbying Effort On Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number**Relating to increasing the tourism promotion budget.**

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	12.00 (2%)			12.00 (< 1%)

Relating to health insurance mandates on small business owners

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	18.00 (3%)			18.00 (< 1%)

Relating to starting K-12 public schools after September 1st.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
			39.89 (5%)	39.89 (1%)

Relating to tort reform

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
			31.91 (4%)	31.91 (1%)

Food manager certification and licensing fees.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
23.15 (3%)				23.15 (< 1%)

a statewide smoking ban

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
61.72 (8%)	30.00 (5%)	39.49 (5%)	39.89 (5%)	171.10 (6%)

Class B liquor license quotas

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
15.43 (2%)				15.43 (< 1%)

combined reporting

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
			23.93 (3%)	23.93 (< 1%)

expansion of sales tax to services

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
			23.93 (3%)	23.93 (< 1%)

liability for credit card data security breaches

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
15.43 (2%)	30.00 (5%)	23.69 (3%)		69.12 (2%)

nutritional information on restaurant menus and menu boards

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
46.29 (6%)	36.00 (6%)			82.29 (3%)

unemployment insurance

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
23.15 (3%)			55.84 (7%)	78.99 (3%)

Wisconsin Center Tax District

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	12.00 (2%)			12.00 (< 1%)

COM 10-024: Rules implementing 2009 WI Act 12, the smoke free workplaces law.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		15.80 (2%)		15.80 (< 1%)

Minor Efforts

(Time spent on matters each of which accounted for less than 10% of the organization's lobbying)

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total

31 (4%)	108 (18%)	158 (20%)	223 (28%)	520.18 (17.58%)
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Other Matters

Includes time spent on:

- Gubernatorial nominations
- Matters on which the organization made no lobbying communication

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
30.86 (4%)	90.00 (15%)	71.08 hours (9%)	95.73 (12%)	287.67 (9.72%)